

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY ACCRA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8390  
INFO USDOC WASHDC  
AMEMBASSY DAKAR  
AMEMBASSY LAGOS  
AMEMBASSY YAOUNDE

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BTRA  
SUBJ: PAN AF TRADE MISSION

REFS: (A) ACCRA 4509 (B) ABIDJAN 5997 (C) STATE 170012

1. REFTEL C REPORTED JULY 17 CONVERSATION AND PROMPTED BY JULY 15 IMMEDIATE CABLE (REFTEL A). WE REGRET, THEREFORE, THAT ROUTINE PRECEDENCE OF REFTEL C MEANT IT NOT RECEIVED IN ACTION OFFICE UNTIL MORNING JULY 21, TWO DAYS AFTER MISSION EXPECTED IN ACCRA BY GHANA MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION (GMA).

2. FOR THE RECORD AND FOR FORWARDING TO PAN AF AT DISCRETION OF DEPARTMENT, NEITHER GMA NOR EMBASSY HAD ANY WORD FROM PAN AF REGARDING ITS ITINERARY SINCE JUNE 16 LETTER WHICH SPECIFIED JULY 19-25 DATES. GMA REPRESENTATIVES WERE AT ACCRA AIRPORT SHORTLY AFTER 5 A.M. JULY 19 AND STAYED ON UNTIL MID-MORNING IN HOPES OF RECEIVING GROUP. LUNCH RESERVATIONS, AND HOTELS HAD TO BE CANCELLED WITH EMBARRASSMENT AND PROBABLY SOME EXPENSE TO GMA. MEETING WITH COMMISSIONER (EQUIVALANET TO CABINET MINISTER) FOR THIS WEEK ALSO HAD TO BE CANCELLED BY GMA. GMA STATES ITS MANY REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION TO PAN AF WENT UNANSWERED.

3. EMBASSY HAS REITERATED TO GMA THE COMPLETELY  
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PRIVATE NATURE OF GROUP AND ITS MISSION.

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